Records
Board of Overseers
1898. 1922

Salem Monthly Mtg
Men
Women Overseers
8-26-1891 — 1-5-1922
YEARLY MEETING OF FRIENDS
FOR NEW ENGLAND

Reports of the
Meetings of the Overseers
Salem Monthly Meeting.

Committee —

Charles H. Atkins
Wm O. Newhall
John H. Crosman
Wm B. Ramsdell
Martha C Jepson
Sarah P Hill
Harriet Cross
Emma Simmons
Geo A. Crosman
Gustavus Austin
Lizzie Farley
Geo. C. Herbert
Elmer E. Metzger
Charles E. Bishop
Jennie T. Bishop
Owen Dann
Lebbeus Hill
J. Elwood Paige
Agnes Jones
Mary J. Rogers
Anna L. Paige
Jacie P. Hawkes
Elizabeth T. Larkin
Geo H. Jones
Ellen C. Jones

At a meeting of the committee appointed by Salem Monthly Meeting, under the name of

— Visiting Committee —

held at the house of Geo. C. Herbert 8 mo. 26 1891

The meeting was called to order by C. H. Atkins. Prayer was offered, after which an organization was effected, by the choice of Geo. C. Herbert for Chairman, and J. Ellwood Paige for Secretary.

A proposition was made to adopt the name of "Pastoral Committee", which after consideration was abandoned.

The subject of the method to be used in visiting our membership being considered, it was decided that no definite assignments be made, but that friends be encouraged to activity in this work, and that we meet for conference and report, at the house of Lybbert Hill, on the evening of the last Fourth day in 9th month —

J. Ellwood Paige Sec'y —

Ninth Month 30th 1891 —

Visiting Committee met at the home of Lebbeus Hill —
eleven present.
Reports were made showing an aggregate of about
35 calls made during the month. The largest number
made by any one member was 22
The method of procedure for the coming month was
considered, and it was decided to continue for
the present in much the same way as during the
past month.
Adjourned to meet at the home of John H. Crosman
on the evening of the last Fourth day in 10 mo.

J. E. Paige Secy —

Tenth Month 28 1891 —

Met at the house of John H. Crosman —
Seven members present.
Twenty eight calls were reported — some of which included families reported upon, last month —
Adjourned to meet at the house of J. Elwood Paige on the evening of Tenth day — 12 Mo. 7 1891 —

J. E. Paige Sec —

Twelfth Mo. 4 1891

Met at the house of J. E. Paige 50 Chatham St —
Twelve members present.
The number of calls reported, aggregated 57 —
Some of which were duplicates. Should annex the number visited, as not actively identified with us and our meetings — The matter of correspondence with absent & isolated members, was brought to our attention and the Committee was encouraged to engage in this department of work —
Adjourned to meet at house of Chas. E. Bishop on the first Tenth day in 1 Mo. next

J. E. Paige Secy —

Third Nov 29 1893

The Visiting Com. were called to meet at the
nursing home in Lynn on the above date.
Three members of the Com. and five nurses
were present. After considering the present
condition of the Com. and of the work it
was concluded to report to the Monday meeting
recommending that the Com. be released and
that another and smaller one be appointed —

J. E. Caja Sec

Salem Quarterly Meeting held
3.10.1878 adopted the
following named, recommended to
Salem Monthly Meeting for
membership

Henry S. Boyton
Joseph H. Reed
Frederick W. Boyton
Catherine P. Manning

Salem
Monthly

Salem Hill
Daniel Smith
M. Edward Paige
Mary P. Cadwalader
Lillie M. Hazel
Alice M. C. Reed
Mary L. Reed
Sophia H. Paige

Salem
Monthly

At the Annual meeting of the Trustees of Calvin Presbyterian Church held this evening, the following Members of the Board were present:

Henry J. Burton elected Pres.
George A. Jones Chas. Engel.
Mary A. Coleman Anna M. Paige
Anna M. Paige and appointed Clerk of the Board of Trustees for the ensuing year.

Wm. Ellwood Paige was chosen Treasurer of the Board the ensuing year.

It is ordered that the Trustees shall attend to matters in their respective appropriate Wards, except in case of absence, & the action of the whole Board.

It is decided to hold Meetings of the Board Quarterly

The Meet to be held at Salem
Willows pursuant the warrant of
Sheriff Dow. Dated Jan 15, 1895
Roger F. Paige
Clerk of Overseers.

Met according to
adjournment & the
warrant read, & the doings
accepted
Voted to receive letters Bill
Geo. W. Goss. Byron Forrest Paige
Mary Abigail Eaton Ellsworth
Edmund H. Paige.
After consideration the Clerk
& the Precinct Constables
J. M. the Chapel.
Then being no special
business we adjourned
to meet at Town, said day
evening 7 PM. Feb. 15 95
Roger F. Paige
Clerk of Overseers

The Board of Overseers Met according to adjournment at Lynn 4th day evening 7 Mo. 7th 1875.

There were present—

Lebbeus Hill Lilly M. Hayes
Abby M. C. Bond John Elwood Paige
Anna W. Paige.

After considering the Spiritual condition of the Meeting at Silsbee St and at the Chapel, also counciling the Testimonial of personal Labor in several cases, there being no further business for adjournment in Lynn

12 Mo. 7th, 1878.

Anna W. Paige
Clerk of Overseers

Board of Managers met at Laynes
fourth day evening 12th mo. 7th 1898.

Present. George L. Jones.
Lebbeus Hill. Lillie M. Hayes.
J. Ellwood Paige. Laynes Jones.
Ashley M. C. Reed.

The treasurer, John Ellwood Paige
stated that the Sarah Ruffum mortgage,
$1040. had been invested in the First
National Bank, Eight Shares at $130.00
each. Also of the Alice Needham fund,
three shares at $130.00 = $390.00

Matters of interest in reference to
the meetings held at Silsbee Street, and
the Chapel, were discussed.

Adjourned

Oct. the 5th C. Fund.
Selected for the day.

Salem Monthly Meeting held at Salem
1st mo. 12th - 1899, appointed
the following named friends to
serve the Meeting as officers for
the ensuing year.

Powers C. Buxton
George H. Jones
Phebe H. Buxton
Sylvina F. Manning
} For Salem.

John Edmund Paige,
Cyrus Jones,
Charles E. Bishop,
Mary J. Rogers,
Anna W. Paige
Lillie M. Hayes
Ruby M. C. Reed
} For Lynn.

At the Annual Meeting of the Overseers of Salem Monthly Meeting held in Lynn 1st mo. 25th 1899 there were present:

Henry C. Buxton Cyrus Jones
George H. Jones Lillie M. Hoyle
Mary J. Rogers Anna W. Paige.
Abby M. C. Breed.

Abby M. C. Breed was appointed clerk for the ensuing year.

The Treasurer, John Edmund Paige was re-appointed for a year.

Unless necessary to have a meeting of the whole board, the Overseers in Each Preparative Meeting are Expected to attend to the business of their respective meetings.

There being no further business, we conclude by proposing to meet in Salem on the first Fifth day Evening in 4th mo. at 7.30 o'clock P.

Abby M. C. Breed
Clerk

At a special meeting of the Overseers of Salem Monthly Meeting held in Lynn 3d mo. 9th 1899.

There were present:

George H. Jones
Sylvina A. Manning
Lynn Jones
Phebe A. Buxton
John Elwood Paige
Anna W. Paige
Abby W. C. Bond.

The business that claimed our attention is embodied in the following:

"At a special meeting of the Overseers of Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends duly notified and called for the purpose, at Lynn the 9th day of 3d mo. A. D. 1899 the foregoing instrument (deed of Geo. H. McGowan property sold under foreclosure to Edwin G. Loomis of Boston for $25.00) having been read and considered, it was resolved that John Elwood Paige is hereby authorized and instructed to execute, acknowledge and deliver in the name and on behalf of the Overseers of Salem

Monthly Meeting of Friends, the in
Stramach which has just been read
Signed
Abby M. C. Reed,
Clerk.

by

There was no other business
to claim our attention.
Abby M. C. Reed
Clerk.

The Board of Overseers of Salem
Monthly Meeting met at Salem 4th
mo. 6th at 7.45 P.M.
Nine were present. (Henry C. Buxton,
Mabel Buxton, Lydia Maining, George
M. Jones, John Ellwood Paige, Anna
V. Paige, Charles E. Bishop, Cyrus Jones
Abbie M. C. Reed)
The treasurer John Ellwood Paige
States that the Nathan Reed fund
of $1000 with its accrued interest
of $1000 was now deposited in the
Bank & subject to investment.
The treasurer was instructed on
behalf of the Overseers to sign the
lease of the lot on Reed St. Lynn,
to the holder heirs for a term of
ten years at $50 per annum.
The Clerk was directed to in-
form our next Preparative Meeting
that in the judgment of the Overseers
Edward Marshall, Fred C. Peloh, Lewis
D. Peloh and Henry C. Dungin should
be released from membership, having

for years shown no interest in the attendance of our meetings and contributed nothing to their support.

Adjourned to meet at the call of the Clerk.

Asby M. Co. Board
Clerk.

The Boss

The Board of Overseers of Salem Monthly Meeting met at Salem, 9th mo. 27th 1899 at 8 o'clock.

Seven members present, viz:
Henry T. Buxton. George K. Jones
Edith Buxton. Cyrus Jones.
John Ellwood Paige. Anna W. Paige.
Abby M. C. Breed.

The business claiming our attention was the investment of the $500 bequest of the late Abby Nichols of Salem.

Our Treasurer is instructed to deposit the amount in the Salem Savings Bank until a suitable investment can be made. Other matters were talked over but no decisions reached.

Adjourned to meet at the call of the Clerk.

Abby M. C. Breed
Clerk.

Salem Monthly Meeting held at Salem, 1st mo. 11th 1904 - appointed the following named Friends to serve the Meeting as overseers the ensuing year.

For Salem.

Henry L. Buxton
Sarah H. Jones
Phebe H. Buxton
Lydia A. Manning.

For East Lynn.

Charles E. Bishop
Abby P. Hunnewell
Hetty M. Rubier
Harriet E. MacLean.

For Lynn

John Edmund Paige
Mary P. Rogers.
Mary L. Jones
Martha L. Jepson
Abbie M. C. Reed.

At a meeting of the Overseers of Salem Monthly Meeting held at Lesum, 6th Mo. 21st 1899. there are Seven present.

George K. Jones. Mary J. Rogers
Lilla M. Harper. Charles E. Bishop.
John Ellwood Paige. Cyrus Cook
Abby M. C. Breed.

After considering the subject of furnishing money as directed by the Monthly Meeting to the Land Improvement Committee, Lesum Preparative Meeting who have been instructed by said Meeting to purchase the Stephen R. Rogers property on Third Street, our Treasurer, John Ellwood Paige is instructed to sell seven Shares of Factory and Maine R. R. Stock in order to procure funds for such investment.

Abby M. C. Breed,
Clerk.

At the Annual Meeting of the Board of Overseers of Salem Monthly Meeting held at Salem, 2nd mo. 1st 1900, there are eight members present.

(H.V.B. E.H.J. J.E.P. H.M.B.
H.E.M. M.C.J. C.J. A.M.C.B.)

Abby M.C. Breed is appointed to serve as clerk for the Board the ensuing Year.

John Edmund Paige is re-appointed Treasurer for the ensuing Year. J.E. Paige who as Treasurer, was instructed to sell seven shares of Boston and Maine R.R. Stock to procure funds for the use of the Land Improvement Committee of Salem Preparative Meeting reports attention having been paid to the matter but nothing yet accomplished.

It is decided that the Overseers shall attend to the business of their respective Preparative Meetings unless the action of the whole Board is necessary.

Adjourned to meet at the call of the Clerk. Attest Abby M.C. Breed, Clerk.

Set a meeting of the Board of Overseers of Salem Monthly Meeting held at Leyman 2nd mo. 13th 1900 at 4½ o'clock P.

Five members are present.

M.C.J. J.T.P. C.J. H&M. A.M.C.B.

It is decided by this Board in conjunction with the Overseers of the Prep Leyman Preparative Meeting to whom the Monthly Meeting in 4th Month last, referred the re-investment of the Nathan Breed fund, that the fund of $1000 with its accrued interest of $5.00 be loaned Joseph S. Brown, Treasurer of Leyman Preparative Meeting at five per cent while the remainder of the interest $44.38 be left on deposit, as at present in the Leyman Institution for Savings.

It is also decided by the Overseers, to loan Joseph S. Brown, Treasurer of Leyman Preparative Meeting, the $2000 known as the James P. and Julia Ann Boyce fund, on demand, at five per cent, with the understanding

that when Lagrin Preparative Meeting is prepared through its Trustees to give security that mortgages sufficient to secure loan funds be given to the treasurer.

Adjourned to meet at the call of the Clerk.

Abby M. C. Read.
Clerk.

At a meeting of the Board of Overseers of Salem Monthly Meeting held in Lynn, 6th mo. 4th 1900. there are eight members present (W. J. R. S. H. J. J. E. P. H. M. M. C. D. C. J. C. E. B. A. M. C. B.)

The Overseers have at this time transferred to the Trustees of Lynn Preparative Meeting all real Estate held by them, in accordance with an act of the Massachusetts Legislature enacted at the time of appointment of said Trustees, the real estate being described in a quit claim deed, signed and witnessed by us and we delegate Charles E. Bishop to acknowledge the same.

Adjourned to meet at the call of the Clerk.

Abby M. C. Breed,
Clerk.

At a called meeting of the Board of Overseers of Salem Monthly Meeting held at Salem 7th mo. 12th 1900.

The subject of a re investment of the Matthew Burton & Elizabeth Hawkes Funds (the Kelley mortgage in which they were invested having been paid) being brought to the attention of the Board it was concluded to loan the amount of the two funds, viz: $2000.00, to Lynn Preparative Meeting to be secured by mortgage of real estate, executed by Trustees if paid before Preparative Meeting. The Clerk of the Board being absent, John Edmund Paige was directed to embody the action of the Board in a minute to be spread upon our records.

Present at above meeting.

Henry W. Burton
Phebe W. Burton.
George W. Jones.
Cyrus Jones
Martha C. Jepson.
John Edmund Paige.

At a meeting of the Overseers of Salem Mo. Meeting held at Salem 9th mo. 24th 1900, there are eight members present.
(O. J. C. E. B. M. E. H. M. B. B. S. M. T. H. J. J. C. A. M. A. B.)

The Treasurer states that the various funds loaned Legum Preparative Mtg. have been secured by mortgages viz:-
The Nathan Reed fund $1000 with accrued interest of $500
The James P. and Ann Bayes fund $2000 and the two funds known as the Matthew Carnton and Eliz. Hawkes funds of $100. each.

The Overseers of East Legum Preparative Meeting have asked that they may draw upon the Treasurer of Salem Mo. Meeting to which meeting the East Legum property belongs for a sum not exceeding $40. to make necessary repairs on the furnaces and meeting house at East Legum, which is granted.

Adjourned to meet at the call of the Clerk.

Asby M. C. Breed.
Clerk.

At a meeting of the Overseers of Salem Monthly Meeting of the Society of Friends held 10th mo. 11th 1880, it was concluded that the assignment made by Caleb Dane as Treasurer, dated 4th mo. 24th 1882 and recorded in Essex So. District Registry of Deeds, book 1102 leaf 96 of a mortgage given by Aldridge F. and Rose F. Hawkes to the Overseers of the Salem Mo. meeting of the Society of Friends, dated Aug. 25, 1879, and recorded in said Registry book 711, leaf 201 be and the same is hereby ratified and confirmed — said assignment at the time it was made having been done by the direction of said overseers

A copy of the foregoing minute
Signed by

Asby M. C. Breed.
Henry Wickham

Phebe H. Buxton, Sylvina A. Manning
George H. Jones Cyrus Jones
John Ellwood Paige.
were furnished Charles J. Woodbridge
for purposes of establishing an unprejudiced title to those mentioned
property.

Salem Monthly Meeting held at Salem 1st month 10th 1901, appointed the following named friends to serve the meeting as Overseers the ensuing year.

For Salem
Henry S. Buxton
George H. Jones
Phebe H. Buxton
Sylvina A. Manning

For Lemon
John Ellwood Paige
Cyrus Jones
Mark D. Rogers
[illegible]
Maria E. Mac Lean

For Lynn — Jennie F. Bishop
Lucy I. Herbert
Retained — Abby M. C. Reed.

The East Lynn Property meeting has been laid down since the last Annual meeting.

At the Annual Meeting of the Board of Trustees of Salem Hospital meeting held in Lynn, 1st Mo. 24th 1911, there are ~~six~~ six members present, F. Ellwood Paige, Eugene Lynn Lynn Jones, Lucy I. Herbert, Abbie M. C. Reed.

Abbie M. C. Reed is appointed to serve as Clerk the ensuing year.

Polan Ellwood Paige is re-appointed Treasurer for the same time.

Polan Ellwood Paige Treasurer of Salem Hospital Meeting reports that the repairs on the East Lynn property amounted to $56, instead of $40. but all being of a necessary character, he is authorized to pay the amount.

It is decided that the Trustees shall attend to the business of their respective Departments

meeting go unless the action of the whole Board is necessary.

Adjourned to meet at the call of the Clerk. Attie M. E. Bond, Clerk.

At a meeting of the Board of Trustees of Salem Monthly Meeting held in Lynn, 5th mo, 6th, 1901. there are ~~six~~ five members present: E. Ellwood Paige, Mary P. Rogers, George H. Jones, Lydia Jones, Attie M. E. Bond.

We met with the Trustees of Lynn at this time in order to transfer to them the East Lynn Chapel property in accordance with the direction of the Monthly Meeting held in Salem 6th mo. 11th 1901.

As there is not a majority of the Trustees present in favour of instructing the Treasurer to sign the deed of transfer, we adjourn to 8th day evening the 9th instant at seven o'clock.

Attie M. E. Bond
Clerk.

The Board of Overseers of Salem Monthly Meeting met according to adjournment, in Salem, 5th mo. 9th at seven o'clock.

Four members present: P. Ellwood Paige, George H. Jones, Mary P. Rogers & Hattie E. Hadson.

There still not being a majority to transact the business for which the meeting was called,

Adjourned, to meet at the call of the Clerk.

Abby M. B. Bacon
Clerk.

Meeting of the Board of Overseers of Salem Monthly Meeting, held 6th mo. 11th 1891. Five members present: P. Ellwood Paige, George H. Jones, Lucy S. Hartel & Mary P. Rogers.

The Clerk having moved out of town, Lucy S. Hartel was appointed for the evening and Mary P. Rogers as Clerk for the remainder of this year.

The desirability of making some repairs on the Church was discussed, P. Ellwood Paige & George H. Jones were appointed to look on the ground and see what the improvements are needed, and if the money can be raised, to do it at an early date, about

receiving a very low price of work which has been offered.

Lucy S. Herbert,
Clerk, pro tem.

The Board of Overseers of Salem Monthly meeting met with Mary P. Rogers #14 Bloomfield St- 7th mo, 8th, 1901, at- 7.45- o'clock.

Four members present- viz: J. Elwood Paige, George H. Jones, Lucy S. Herbert & Mary P. Rogers,

The first business in order was the report of the Com appointed at our last meeting to look after the repairs on East-Lynn Chapel, as they were not ready to report the Com was continued.

The special business to claim our attention at this time is to look over our list of members, and that those that do not attend our meeting or show any interest in our Society be dropped from our list.

We decided to recommend to the Monthly Meeting that the following named friends be released, viz, Fred C. Fellich, Polly Fellich, Henry C. Dugan, Alfred F. Purcell

Eugene Wood, Nancy Newton, Almira S Griffin, Lois K. Griffin. The Clerk is directed to inform the Monthly meeting of our decision.

We thought it was advisable that certificates be sent to those friends who reside within the limits of other meetings and that we visit or correspond with other absent members.

Other matters of interest were discussed.

Adjourned

Mary P. Rogers
Clerk.

The Board of Overseers of Lynn Preparative Meeting met with Lucy S. Herbert 8th mo, 6th 1901. at 8 o'clock.

Four members present. P. Elwood Paige, Lucy S. Herbert, Hallie E. McLean & Mary P. Rogers.

Lucy S. Herbert reports she has written to Alice Coleman & Myron Pettit & wife and received a reply. We feel that it is best to let their names remain on our books for

the present. Other members of the Board not ready to report.
The Clerk is directed to inform the Monthly meeting that it is the judgment of the Trustees that certificates be sent to the monthly meeting at St. Albans, Maine for the children of Eugene Wood viz, Olive M. Wood & Mabel M. Wood.

Adjourned

Mary B. Rogers, Clerk.

At a called mtg of the Board of Overseers held at Salem Mtg House 8th mo 31st 1904.
three were present;
George H. Jones - John Ellwood Paige
Phebe H. Buxton & Lucy Thorndike Herbert;
John Ellwood Paige stated the object for which the meeting was called.
viz - to decide upon the reinvestment of the Abigail Meaders Fund.
He proposed that the Treasurer of the board be directed to loan to the Trustees of Lynn Preparative mtg. the principal of the fund to be secured by a mortgage on real estate belonging to Lynn Preparative Meeting situated on the westerly side of Friend St. Lynn. which was united with.
The question of transferring the Chapel property to Lynn Preparative meeting being presented & discussed it was thought best; after consideration of present conditions, to ask the Mo mtg to reconsider its direction for the transfer. adjourned —
Lucy T. Herbert. Clerk for the day

Fourth Month Tenth 1902 -
The Overseers met at close of Mo. Mtg
in Parlour for organization.
Were present; George H Jones.
Lydia Manning - Phebe H. Buxton
Henry C. Buxton - Martha C Jepson -
Harriet C. MacLean. Lucy T. Herbert -
Lucy T. Herbert - was appointed
Clerk of the Board for the current year -
It was decided that the overseers in
Each meeting should look after the work
in their own meeting. except when
business should require the action of
the whole Board - who shall be notified
by the Clerk - of such special meeting.

Lucy T. Herbert - Clerk -

At a meeting of the Overseers of Lynn meeting held fourth mo 22nd 1902 -
All the overseers were present -
It was decided to call a mtg of the full board on the evening of the 3rd just before the mtg to appoint a treasurer -
Several cases needing attention were discussed - and members of the board encouraged to faithfulness in besetting labor -
Adjourned to the call of the clerk -

Lucy F. Hubbell - Clerk -

Fourth mo 16th ~~1902~~ 1903

At a called meeting of the Overseers in Salem - there were seven members present - Lucy T. Needell - was appointed Clerk for one year - and John Ellwood Paige is reappointed Treasurer for the same time.

George H. Jones stated that the meeting was called to see how money could be raised to pay for improvements on the Salem mtg house - It is proposed that we either get an additional loan of $600. on the house on the yard or authorize the sale of it. if it can be sold.

George H. Jones is appointed to make investigation and report at a future meeting. also to make inquiries with regard to obtaining a loan of $1000. from the interest of the Alice Needham fund, & what security could be given.

John Ellwood Paige spoke of the need of repairs on the East Lynn mtg house - we are united in

appropriating $40.00 from the Monthly meeting treasury for painting the walls of J. E. Paige is delegated to attend to it=

Adjd to the call of the clerk-

Lucy T. Hewins Clerk-

At a meeting of the Board of Directors of Salem Mutual Building Association held at Salem on the 14th 1903. Four members present.

The Clerk being absent John Edmund Paige was appointed Clerk for the time -

The Treasurer of the Board is hereby authorized to execute a deed of Conveyance - on behalf of all the Real Estate belonging to Salem Co-operative Mutual Building - to Moses B. Paige Charles H. Burton and W. Carlton Jones - Trustees of said Salem Co-operative Mutual Building.

It was decided to loan to the members of Salem Co-operative Mutual Building Association the accumulated interest of the Relief & Benefit Fund, said interest at 3% per annum. Said Loans to be on a note secured by mortgage for $200.00 - $100.00 for the loan to Edmund Burton, and $100.00 of Principal & Int. to Allen Needham - now held by Salem Co-op. Mutual Building - and Notes endorsed - Interest & said $100.00 remaining at 6% -

Adjourned John Edmund Paige Clerk pro

At a meeting of the Board of Trustees of Salem Mass held at the house of E. Elwood Paige 2nd mo 3rd 1904. Four members present.-

The following business was transacted The trustees of Salem Preparative meeting not-feeling free. to include in their mortgage the loan of $1100.00 from the Alice Needham fund. which has been standing for a long time- the action of the Treasurer of this Board in making a loan of $1000.00 is approved. leaving the aforesaid loan $1100.00 in the same way as heretofore.

Salem Friends being desirous of selling the house & lot- owned by them ask for a release of so much of their mortgage as covers said house & lot.- which is granted. and the Treasurer is authorized to sign such release on our behalf.-

Lucy T. Needham
Clerk

At a called meeting of the
Board of Overseers held Dec 10th 1904
Four members present.
The question of taking stock in the
Essex Trust Co being considered
it was decided not to take any of the
new stock and our treasurer
John Elwood Paige is authorized to
sign all papers necessary to the
liquidation of the stock of the Fuil
National Bank - now held by the
Overseers of Salem Monthly Meeting
and to receive all monies
which may be paid by said bank -

Lucy F. Hewbert -
Clerk -

Fifth month 20th 1905.

The overseers met at Salem Meeting House - for organization and consideration of their work - Five members present:

Lucy T. Herbert - is appointed to serve as Clerk and John Ellwood Paige as Treasurer for the official term.

The duties of the overseers as laid down in our book of discipline were considered. and a consciousness of our failure to live up to the requirements was felt - and expressed. also the fact that when such work had been done in the recent past - it had not been accepted by the meeting -

The question of the investment of the monies now lying in the Savings Bank. also a bequest of $2000. recently recieved by the will of Amy B. Hoag for the care of the burial ground in Lynn. and 200. from same estate toward

providing for Suitable Duty dunnies.
was considered. and
George H Jones. is appointed to advise
with the Treasurer. & they are instructed
to make such investments as after
careful inquiry seem to be most
advantageous.

The efforts of our Yearly Meeting Supt. of
Evangelistic work. Alfred Wake. at
East Lynn. being spoken of. and his
faithful labor headed. We are united
in asking the Monthly Meeting that the
sum of $25.00 be appropriated toward
his expenses.

The meeting then adjourned
to the call of the Clerk.

Signed.
Lucy F. Hewbert.

At a called meeting of the Deacons of Lebo St Friends Meeting held on the 26th 1906.

The names of some of our members who have not attended or been interested in our meetings for a long time were read, and the circumstances investigated and prayerfully considered. It was decided to recommend that the names of Samuel E. Carter. Marion E. Pinegar & Frank. E Jones. be dropped from membership according to discipline.

Lucy V. Hunsaker Clerk.

Six members present -

At a called meeting of the Overseers of Salem this 8th day held, this 8th day of 1906. The arrangement between some of the members of the Church meeting, claiming our consideration, the women members of Salem desire us to help if possible in bringing about a Christian feeling between them.

Lucy T. Herbert - Clerk

7th mo 3rd 1906. Four members present -

The overseers met to hear the report of the Committee appointed in 7th mo last. They reported labor had been bestowed, and that it did not seem best to continue the matter further. The Com. were released -

Lucy T. Herbert
Clerk

Second Month 14 1907 -

The Board of Trustees of Salem Monthly meeting met for organization - seven members being present.

In the absence of the Clerk - John Edmund Paige was appointed Clerk pro. tem.

Lucy F. Hussey pro appointed Clerk — and John Edmund Paige Treasurer —

It was concluded to hold regular meetings of the Board once in three months, the first meeting to be Third day evening 7 oc. 6 - 7-45 P.M. at Friends Meeting house Lynn. Date and place for subsequent meetings to be decided then.

John Edmund Paige Clerk pro tem.

Nominations for 3 years appointed First Month 1907.

Geo. M. Jones -	Thos. M. Burton
Lyonna A. Manning	John Edmund Paige
Martha C. Jepson	Lucy F. Hussey
Darius E. MacLean	John R. Meader
Lewis A. Austin	Grace Burk

1907.

Second mo 6th. The Board of Overseers met at Silsbee St meeting house - 4 members present. The list of members who do not attend mtg were read and considered. Realizing the great need, we were urged to faithfulness in individual helpful service.

Adjourned to the First fifth day evening in Sixth mo. at Silsbee St meeting House -

Lucy P. Hembert Clerk -

Lynn Sixth mo. 6th 1907. The Board of Overseers of Salem Mo Mtg met pursuant to adjournment:

The matter of repairs at East Lynn Chapel being considered Charles Burk is authorized to attend to repairs on the roof -

The condition of the meeting at East Lynn - was considered and earnest prayers were offered - for guidance and wisdom - that right steps might be taken to bring the meeting to a condition for growth in the Lords work -

Adjourned to meet on the first-fifth day in
month ms

Lucy F. Herbert - Clerk.

Sixth ms Fifth 1908.

At a meting of the
Board of Overseers held at the home of
Lucy F. Herbert - six members were present -
No definite business - after some
general talk adjourned to meet - 9th ms 2nd.

Lucy F. Herbert -
Clerk -

At a stated meeting of the Board of Overseers held 9th mo. 3rd. 1908.
Seven members present.
The following minute is received from the Monthly Meeting of date 8 mo. 13th 1908.

"To the Overseers of Salem Monthly Meeting
"The following communication is received from John B. Newhall, Administrator of the Estate of our late Friend Wm. D. Newhall, viz (see below)
"The meeting unites in accepting, gratefully, the trust offered and the Treasurer of the Board of Overseers is directed to receipt for same on our behalf"
(signed) W. Carleton Jones, Clerk"

Communication

"By the will of the late Julia Ann Boyce the rest and residue of her estate was left in trust to the late William D. Newhall, for religious and charitable purposes, to be used at his discretion. In carrying out the terms of said trust it was his wish that one half of the sum remaining at his decease, be paid over to the Overseers of Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends residing in Lynn and attenders of the

Silsbee St. Meeting of Friends, to be devoted to religious and charitable purposes in connection with said meeting.

The above bequest $2909.00 is ready to be paid by the Administrator upon the receipt of the acceptance of the trust by the Monthly Meeting and authority given the Treasurer of the Board of Overseers to receipt for the same."

(signed) John B. Newhall Adm

Lynn. 8 mo. 12th 1908.

The investment of the above bequest was considered. The Board united with the proposition to place $2500.00 in a real estate mortgage at 5% on the property of the meeting making it a permanent investment, using the interest for the purpose desired by the donor and putting the remainder in the Savings Bank to be drawn upon if needed in addition to the annual interest at the discretion of the members of the Board of Overseers attending Silsbee St. Meeting.

The apparently futile efforts to help some of our members to live up to the standard of christian life required by our Society of its members, makes us feel that unless some radical change takes place very soon it would be for its honor to drop their names from our memberships.

Adjourned, Lucy T. Kendall. Clerk

The December meeting of the Board of Overseers of Silsbee St-Meeting was held on the 18th - four members present -

A request has been received from the Overseers of the Poor - for $75.00 from the fund given by Julia Ann Boyer which is granted and the clerk directed to inform the Overseers of said decision

The case of Frank Broad who has been arrested and fined for the illegal selling of liquor was considered. & John Wadleigh appointed to visit him in the love of the Master. declining such labor as may may open for it.

For the Board
Lucy T. Kendall - Clerk -

At a meeting of the Overseers held First Month 13th 1909.
Six members present —

The report of the Committee appointed by the Quarterly Meeting with regard to the settlement of the Salem Funds is brought before us for information.
No business transacted.

Lucy T. Purdy
Clerk —

1909

At the March meeting of the Board of Trustees held on the 17th inst. five members present.-

The recommendation of the Committee appointed by the Quarterly Meeting to advise in the matter of the unclaimed loan of $1100.00 and all matters in connection with the Alice Needham fund - is united with by this Board, and we direct that Salem Preparative meeting give to Salem Monthly Meeting on April 7th 1909. a note for $1489.98 with interest at three per cent annually with satisfactory security — as advised by said recommendation.

We unite in appointing John H. Mader as Treasurer of the Board for the ensuing two months from date. in place of John Elwood Paige deceased.

Lucy S. Hembel
Clerk.

May 4th 1909.

At a called meeting of the Board of Overseers held at date above - Eleven members present:

The matter of the Alice Needham fund being presented - We appoint - Edmund Buffinton George H Jones and Charles Bunk - to look into into selling some of the land before taking a new mortgage.

Adjourned to one mels June date -

Lucy T. Heubel - Clerk.

May 11th 1909.

Met pursuant to adjournment. Six members present. The committee appointed at the last meeting report that it does not seem to them advisable to make any sale of land at the present time.

We unite in appointing Edmund F. Buffinton as Treasurer for one year and we authorize him to discharge the mortgage of $1000.00 now standing on the Salem property and attend to all legal matters connected with the note for $1489.98 which Salem Preparative Mtg is to give to the Trustees of Salem Monthly Meeting.

We hereby reconsider the minute made 9th mo 2nd 1909 with reference to the investment of the Julia Ann Boyce Fund and appoint Cyrus Jones John R Wade and Edmund Buffinton as committee to invest the same at their discretion.

The meeting stands adjourned.

Lucy T. Bennett clerk

At a called meeting of the Board of Overseers of Salem Monthly Meeting held 8th mo 3rd 1909. seven members present.

Edmund Buffington asked the advice of the members with regard to surveying the Salem Meeting House property and setting the bound stones which he is authorized to do.

The committee appointed to invest the Julia Ann Boyce fund report they have attended to it. Taking a note of the Meeting.

We unite in giving Harold Taylor the sum of $25.00 from the income of the Julia Ann Boyce fund toward defraying his expenses at the Friends Boarding School and the Treasurer is directed to pay him said amount.

The "consideration of the conditions which are said to exist on the Nathan Reed estate" being referred to this Board we have asked Francis W Cunnan to

state what she had known of said conditions, which she did - also making the proposition that we lease our relation to the estate in consequence of our inability to manage it in a satisfactory manner

We have given the matter some consideration but feeling that we could not come to a decision with regard to a recommendation - ask the Court July - to allow us another month taking it up at our regular meeting in Sept the month -

Adjourned -

Lucy T. Herbert -
Clerk -

At a meeting of the Board of Overseers held 5th mo 21st 1909.
nine members present:
The matter of the Nathan Reed estate again claiming our attention. We have decided that referring to the minute made in 8th mo 5th in 5th mo 1908.
The subject was presented to the meeting on 6th mo 1909. out of order. and we should abide by the decision made at that time. Adjourned to tenth mo twelfth at the close of the 5th of Monthly Meeting.

Lucy L. Hazard
Clerk.

At a meeting of the Board of Overseers held 10th mo 13th 1909.

We have decided to forward to the Monthly Meeting the following complaint with regard to William Allston Brown

William Allston Brown having habitually neglected the attendance of meetings for worship for many years - has been visited, and, given encouragement to do so in the future.

Lucy T. Herbert -
Clerk -

At a called meeting of the Board of Overseers held Eleventh mo 19th 1909.

It is decided to loan $150.00 from the amount of the Julia Ann Boyce Fund now on deposit in the Institution for Savings at the same rate of interest now paid by the Bank. — Taking the Monthly Meeting Treasurers note for the same

To per Minute of the Monthly Meeting authorizing the Treasurer to effect a loan not exceeding $200.00 to repair Salem and East Lynn Meeting Houses.

Lucy F. Gardner, Clerk.

First meeting

At the Annual Meeting of the Board of Overseers of Salem (Monthly meeting held 2nd mo 3rd 1910 Lucy T. Herbert is appointed clerk for the year - Nine members present;

We decide to hold our regular meetings on the Second 4th day evenings in the Second - Fifth - Eighth & Eleventh months The matter of the sale of a part of the Meeting house lot in Salem being brought to our attention - we appoint Edmund Buffington George H Jones and Cyrus Jones a Committee to consider the same & report to the next meetings.

After reading the duties of Overseers as outlined in the Discipline - we were impressed with a sense of our responsibility. and a number of members who show the interest with us were thoughtfully considered - John H Wade & Cyrus Jones were appointed to call on Wm Allerton Brown extending care - Cyrus Jones - was to visit Charles Radford - The meeting adjourned

Lucy T. Herbert Clerk.

List of Trustees appointed 63
1910 for three years

Salem George H Jones - Phebe H. Baxter
Sylvia A Mahoney -

Lynn
Martha C Jepson Lucy T. Heebner -
John N. Mader - Harriet E. McLean -
Mary L. Paige. Cyrus Jones - Edmund F. Bufflinton
Michael F. Burke -

East Lynn
Charles Burke - Timothy Garland
Ruth A Austin -

At a called meeting of the Overseers held. 2nd mo 18th. It was decided to authorize our Treasurer to pay to the Overseers of the Poor the sum of one hundred dollars ($100.00) from money of the Julia Ann Boyer fund now on deposit in Lynn Institution for Savings

Lucy T. Herbert - Clerk.

At a called meeting of the Overseers held 3rd mo 6th it was decided to authorize our Treasurer to pay a nurse for Lucinda E Hill (so long as she shall be needed) from monies of the Julia Ann Boyer Fund.

Lucy T. Herbert - Clerk

At a meeting of the Overseers held 6th mo 11th 1910. Six members present; The clerk being absent Edmund F. Buffington was appointed Clerk Pro tem.

We are asked by the Overseers of the Poor to consider the situation of Debbins Hill & see what can be done to relieve it. We have united in authorizing the Treasurer to pay the night nurse from the Julia Ann Boyce fund. no further business we adjourn to meet 6th mo 18th 1910. Edmund F. Buffington Clerk pro tem.

Fifth mo. 25th. No Meeting being held on the 18th. a meeting was called for the 25th inst. — six members present

The Committee appointed at our last regular only to consider the sale of a part of the Salem meeting house lot is continued with authority to execute a sale if satisfactory conditions can be effected. The Committee on New Alleton Burial is continued to our next meeting. The service on the case of Charles Radford has seemed fruitful

in bringing him to meeting.

We authorize our Treasurer to pay the undertakers bill when presented for Lebbeus Hill.

Decided to call our meetings on fourth ~~Fourth~~ days in the month.

Adjourned 6 July 27th

Lucy T. Herbert-Clerk.

Seventh mo 27th 1910

Meeting of the Overseers of Lynn meeting five members present.

The Committee on the Salem Mtg House property is continued.

The Com in the case of Wm Allen Penn is continued to make definite report next month. The need of prayer & personal help was felt for some members of our mtgs. who had fallen under temptation, that we may restore them to upright-ness of life.

Lucy T. Herbert-

Clerk

(of Lynn. Silver St-meeting)

At a called meeting of the Board of Overseers held 9th month 19th 1910 five members present-

We decide to appropriate $25.00 from the Julia Ann Boyce fund for the tuition of Amos C Moore at the Moses Brown School and the Treasurer is authorized to pay the same to Seth K Gifford Principal-

We also decide to appropriate from the Crane fund $100.00 to assist in paying the tuition of George Moore at Colby Academy New London N. H. for the current year - and the Treasurer is authorized to forward the same, according to the School rules at the beginning of each term.

Lucy T. Herbert - Clerk -

At a meeting of the Board of Overseers held - 11th and 30th 1910 Eight members present:

Com on Salem Poor House property - not ready to report - are continued -

The Com on the case of Wm Allston Bunn - report that they have made several attempts to see on him without avail under all the circumstances they feel that his name should be dropped! the clerk is directed to send such decision to the monthly meeting.

We are informed of the appearance of liquor selling in the drug store of Frank Bird - Charles Burk is appointed to see him and bestow labor.

Charles Burk - asked on behalf of the East Lynn Chapel congregation the privilege of fitting up a room in the basement - for class room and gymnasium work - we will on granting permission on condition they

incur no expense for the Monthly Mtg-

Adjourned to Second mo next-

Lucy J. Herbert. Clerk-

Meeting of Overseers of Salem Mo Mtg.
held 2nd mo 22nd 1911.

The Com on the Salem Mtg
House property report the strip of land
which has under consideration has been
sold. for $200.00 and the matter has been
handed over to the trustees of Salem Mtg.
We recommend that the sum of $93.00
realized from said sale be used to reduce
the mortgage - and the remainder to be
applied to permanent improvements. The Com are
continued with power to release the mortgage
from said premises, and execute the
necessary deeds -

Com appointed to the
care of Main Address Room - The Mtg
united to sell the matter for the present.

Charles Burk - & Cyrus Jones are appointed

to suit Alvis Dashiell.
& John Mader to suit — Joseph Haines
Adjourned —
Lucy T. Herbert - Clerk.

Meeting of Directors held Fifth mo 1/11
1/11. Six members present.
Com continued to suit Alvis Dashiell
no business of record.
Adjourned to meet at the
Call of the Clerk.
Lucy T. Herbert

The Overseers of Salem Monthly Meeting met - 10th mo 26th 1911

Cyrus Jones reported calling on Alis Dushaltz
Charles Burke, is appointed to call on
Frank Broad

We unite in accepting a report from the Monthly meetings com - which recommend dropping the names of Herbert S. Austin
Hannah M. Rubin Frances M. Rubin.
Charles H. Saxon & Myron P. Potter. for non-attendance of Meetings - according to Section 2. Chapt 2. of the discipline —

Charles Burke asked for permission to make some changes in the Chapel - meeting room - John Wade and Edmund Buffington are appointed to confer with Lloyd Williams and report - to a called meeting - of the Overseers. John Wade reported calling on Clifford Forrest - and Friends were asked to show special interest in him

Adjourned -

Lucy S. Hartley
Clerk

* We are informed that Frank H. Bond has entered his resignation of membership which has been accepted.

The February meeting of the Board of Overseers was held the 13th inst at 7.45 P.M.
Seven members present.

The Committee appointed to confer with George Williams relative to changes in the Chapel - report that owing to his leaving Lynn nothing has done in regard to the matter.

* It is decided to loan thirty dollars from the Ann Boyer Fund to pay a school bill for Amos Moore - he agreeing to repay it in three monthly instalments of ten dollars each. before Dec 1st 1912.

The matter of helping Dorothy Kimball in her school expenses from the Alice Mudham fund - being considered it is decided to find out the amount needed for the remained of this school year - and we authorize the treasurer to pay it if the income of the funds will allow.

A copy of the following vote is directed to be placed with the Salem paper containing the discharge of the mortgage from P. Lee. on Salem

meeting is now present.

"It being the expression of the meeting that the Trustees of the Board of Overseers of Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends be and hereby is authorized and empowered to sign, execute and deliver in the name of the Overseers of Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends a discharge of a certain mortgage given by Moses B. Page et al Trustees, to the Overseers of Salem Monthly Meeting of Friends dated June 17th 1908, and recorded with Essex (So Dist.) Book 1714. Page 217.

Signed Lucy T. Rickard Clerk.

Witness - Sylvia Jones -

The moral & physical conditions among which some of our Sabbath School children live was brought to our notice by one of the teachers who is feeling keenly the need of our bestirring ourselves - to reach out helping hands, in improvement & betterment of such conditions where we have power and influence. One hour in the week is so little to lift up when all the home environments are

pulling down character - May our eyes be opened to fully realize our responsibility.

Adjourned to meet in fifth month next.

Lucy F. Herbert
Clerk.

At a called meeting of the Board of Directors held Fourth Mo 24th 1912.
Six members present.

The time for the appointment of clerk having expired Lucy T. Hubbard is appointed for that office for the remainder of the year.

The Treasurers report was presented at this time as it was over looked at the last meeting.

The case of Norman E McLean being considered it was decided to send the following complaint to the Mo Meeting.

"We feel obliged to make complaint according to discipline that Norman E McLean has been guilty of conduct that has brought our Christian religion into public disrepute."

It is decided to give the sum of five dollars from the Julia Ann Boyce Fund for the Childrens day expenses of the Bible School. we instruct our Treasurer to pay the same to the Treasurer of the Bible School.

Edmund Ruffin is authorized to attend to the repairing of the Treasurers book. Adjourned. Lucy T. Hubbard Clerk.

At the regular meeting of the Overseers
8th inst 21st. Nine members present.
from Gertrude E. Kimball

A request has been received, thro'
W Carlton Jones - for the use of the
income of the Alice Needham Fund
for the education of her daughter
Miss Dorothy Kimball at Oak Grove
Seminary. after consulting with
several of our absent members we
are united in granting this request,
for the coming school year, and
direct our Treasurer to pay it. for said use
Adjourned
Lucy T. Needham
Clerk —

At the regular meeting of the Directors

... Overseers appointed 1912
for three years

Salem George H Jones -
Katie B. Coffin Sylvia Manning

Lynn - Martha C. Jepson. Lucy T. Herbert -
John N. Maden - Manuel E. McLean -
Mary L. Paige Cyrus Jones - Edmund Buffington

East-Lynn - Charles Burk. Timothy Garland
Estella Guestont

Time of Meeting
The last-fifth day evening
in second - fifth - Eighth & Eleventh months

At a meeting of the Overseers of Lynn & East-Town Meetings held First month 30th 1913.

Lucy T. Herbert - was appointed clerk and Edmund Ruffinton Treasurer for the ensuing term of office

The annual report of the treasurer was read approved & accepted.

John N Mades and Cyrus Jones are appointed with the Trustees to consider the advisability of the reinvestment of $500.00 which has been paid up on the mortgage investment of the Susan Phillips fund.

John Mades & Edmund Ruffinton were asked to visit Clifford Forest-
Timothy Garland - to call on Alis Dushuttle and Cyrus Jones on Charles Radford.

The men overseers together were appointed to decide later on William Kitchen

The minute of second month 22d 1911 - with reference to the sale of a strip of land belonging to the Salem Meeting House property, was reconsidered - and we approve the following disbursement of the $200. received from the land sale - instead of the recommendation there made -

"Interest - due Alice Needham fund $111.75
Surveying 28.00
Writing and recording deed - 5.00
139.75

Amount turned over to Carlton Jones - Treasurer of Salem - Prep. Mtg $20.27

$89.98.

Balance has been paid toward the principal of the mortgage.

Edmund Ruffinton for the Comm —

Adjourned Lucy T. Herbert clerk

At a called meeting of the Lynn & East Lynn Branches of Salem Dist Mtg 4th mo 7th 1913. Members present

The Committee appointed to visit William Ritchie report they have attended to their appointment. as all his promises of light-living are broken as often as made. and all later testimonial has proved unavailing. Two advise sending a complaint to the Monthly Meeting.

We appoint Charles Burke & John H. Mackie to visit William and Annette Ritchie and acquaint them with our decision

Adjourned to 7th mo 7th

Lucy F. Hansel — Clerk.

At a meeting of the Overseers of Lynn & East-Lynn meeting held Fifth mo- Fifth. 1913. 8 members present-

The committee appointed to visit- William Kitchen report- they attended to their appointment- and have bestowed much earnest labor.

It seems best- to withhold the complaint- for another month. the committee are continued to attend to the case & report- to the next meeting. the clerk is authorized to write to the Overseers of Brooklyn meeting- where he is removed & acquainted- them with his need of care the other committees are continued for further service.

The committee appointed to consider the advisability of the reinvestment- of the $500. paid up on the Susan Phillips fund- mortgage- report—

that since their appointment- 500.00. of the Julia

Ann Boyce fund - has been paid into the Treasury and they have invested the two funds on a demand note given by the Trustees of Lynn Public Library at 5% per annum dated May 7th 1918.

adjourned
Lucy T. Herbert Clerk

At a meeting of the Overseers of Lynn & East Lynn meetings held 5th mo - 28th 1918.

Four members present - the Committees under appointment. viz: being present for reporting - we adjourn to meet at the call of the Clerk.

Signed
Lucy T. Herbert -

At a called meeting of the Members of Lynn & East-Lynn Spiritualists Meetings
Sept-4th 1913.

Five members present.

It was decided to forward to the W.S.U. a complaint in the case of William Kitchen his conduct having been for a long time a reproach to the Christian religion; ~~and~~ much labor having been bestowed, upon him without result.

The Members also forward to the Monthly Meeting a request that they appoint a Committee to visit Clifford Forest: he having committed offences that demand the care of the meeting.

Charles Radford, having habitually neglected the attendance of our meetings for several years, and having joined the Spiritualist Association, we recommend that his name be dropped from our list of members.

Adjourned

Lucy F. Herbert Clerk

At a meeting of the Overseers held second month fifth 1904. Five members present -

The annual report of the Treasurer signed by the auditors was read and directed to be forwarded to the Mo Mtg

Adjourned

Lucy F. Hewbut -
Clerk

At a meeting of the Overseers held fifth month 19th Five members present -

No business of record being transacted we adjourn to meet at the call of the Clerk -

Lucy F. Hewbut: Clerk.

At a called Meeting of the Overseers held 10th mo 21st 1914

Seven members present

The Overseers having received the Insurance on the Salem Meeting House which was destroyed by fire June 26th. The principal & interest of the mortgage is directed to be placed in a Savings bank - and the mortgage discharged - by the treasurer the balance to be paid to the trustees of Salem Prep making meeting.

We are united in paying Henry Holes expenses to our last Yearly Meeting from the Julia Ann Boyer Fund.

The Monthly Meeting having instructed the Overseers to pay the expenses of Dorothy Kimball at Lake Geneva Seminary as far as the income of the Salem Fund will allow. We authorize our Treasurer - to attend to the matter.

Harold Taylor having asked for a loan
to aid his expenses at Eastham College
for the fall semester we are united
in granting his request - the clerk was
directed to ascertain the amount
needed & the treasurer authorized
to forward it to him.

Adjourned to the call of
the Clerk - Lucy T. Weitzel,

The Annual Meeting of the Deacons was held Feb 8th 1916.

In the absence of the Clerk Mary A. Paige was appointed to serve for the day.

Harold Taylor has asked for a loan of $60.00 to aid in paying his expenses during the second semester of his first year at Eastham College.

We are united in granting him this loan and the Treasurer is authorized to attend to the matter

The Treasurer presented his annual report duly audited, which is approved & directed to be presented at the Monthly Meeting.

In accordance with the request of the Meeting of Ministry & Oversight we have gone over our list of members making a list of some of those who seem to be careless of their privilege as members. Cyrus Jones & Charles Bank are asked to call on Mrs Dushville in regard to her non attendance of meeting and apparent lack of interest

Edmund Ruffenton to see Iverson Scribner & Estella Swenson to see Ethel Teague -

Adjourned

Mary S. Page Clerk.

At a Meeting of the Directors of Schiller at meeting held May 20th 1916 - all were present:

Agnes Jones reported they had called on Miss Duckworth and recommend that the matter of his membership rest for the present:

Another loan of $50.00 has been granted Harold Taylor to enable him to finish the present College year -

Edmund Ruffenton reported he had not called on Iverson Scribner and the appointment is continued.

John Mader is required to call on Frank E Jones & Fred F. Neal and Lucy T. Marbut on Charles McClean.

Adjourned

Lucy T. Marbut Clerk -

At a meeting of the Owners of Silver St Mtg - held Oct 7th 1915 -

Five members present

Edmund Buffington reported he had called on Wilson Scribner he requested to be released from membership - it was left for Earle Harold to make a call before action was taken. John Mader said he had not been able to make either of the calls for which he was appointed in May -

At a called informal meeting of the Owners it was proposed that $100.00 from the Julia Ann Boyce fund be paid into the Prepaid meeting Treasury toward the moving expenses of our new pastor Earle J Harold. Rev Lyon from Greensboro N. C. this meeting unites with the proposition ~~and the treasurer~~ and the treasurer is directed to pay the above mentioned sum —

This meeting ratifies a loan of $25.00 made Feb 25th 00 Nellie B Gould - (from the $ & B Boy's fund) toward the boarding school expenses of her daughter Maple. $1.00 or more per week to be paid toward the reduction till the amount is paid.

This meeting further ratifies a note made Aug 28th to Julia B. Grant - for $250.00 for three months - the loan being secured by a mortgage note.

We authorize the Treasurer to pay $50.00 from the Julia Ann Boyce fund for the R Road expenses - of the delegate to the Mens Conference in Richmond 2nd Oct 20th.

The mtg then adjourned

Lucy T. Woodward -
Clerk

1916

Overseers appointed for three years.

Salem
George K Jones
Sydnna Manning
Katie B. Coffin

Lynn.
Martha C. Lepson
Cyrus Jones
Lucy V. Herbert
John N. Madee
Mary S. Paige
Harriet E McClean
Edmund F. Buffington

East-Lynn
~~Charles Parks~~ -
~~Estella Pendroon~~
William G. Falkins
~~Leroy S. Newton~~
Emma A Fisher

At a meeting of the whole board of Overseers called 2nd and 4th 1916.

Seven members present -

The meeting opened with a prayerful seeking of wisdom and guidance by our Heavenly Father.

The records of the last meeting were read. The annual report of the Treasurer Edmund F. Sullivan which had been audited, was read approved & accepted,

Appreciation was expressed of his faithful service. He was nominated and appointed, as treasurer for the ensuing term of office.

Lucy F. Hewlett has appointed Clerk of the Board - for the same term.

Meetings to be held the last Fifth day in First, Fourth, Eighth & Eleventh months unless otherwise ordered.

The Treasurer suggested the desirability of keeping the records - in a safer place than his home. He was instructed to see if there was room in the Trustees box in the Safe at the Essex Trust: if he is authorized to have a box.

We authorize the Treasurer to take a note of Salem Monthly Meeting signed by its Treasurer (if it is needed) for $200.00 at four per ct. to be paid back in installments of $50.00 per year.

We are united in loaning to Harold Taylor as he needs it sufficient money to enable him to complete his College course.

Adjourned

Lucy T. Herbert

At a meeting of the Board of Overseers held fifth Month tenth 1916 —
Four members present and the Pastor.

The minutes of the previous mtg were read.

Edmund F Buffington reported he had hired a box at the Essex Trust Co as authorized.

Some members whose delinquences call for the visitation and help of the Overseers were considered.

Adjourned —

Lucy F. Herbert —
Clerk.

At the regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees held Aug 21st 1916 -

We are agreed to continue the appropriation of income from the Alice Needham Fund - for the use of Harlee Coffin for the ensuing year -

adjourned to the call of the clerk - signed Lucy T. Needham -

At a Called Meeting of the Board of Overseers held Nov 2nd 1916.
Seven members present.

Referring to a communication from the Monthly Meeting with regard to the condition of the Safe in the Silsbee St Meeting House - we appoint Cyrus Jones to attend to the matter.

The Treasurer reports that the mortgages at #56 - #59 - & #61 Fremont St have been taken up. He is given authority to discharge them; also power to loan $3000.00 (Three thousand dollars) to the Trustees either on a mortgage or note.

We [illegible] favorable action to a [illegible] money #1400.00 (Four [illegible] hundred dollars) for the purchase of the land to be given to the Monthly Meeting by George A. Cromack

adjoining the East-Lynn Chapel property, he giving his note for said amount.

Twelve hundred dollars of this amount to be taken from the Alice Needham fund - and two hundred from the Julia Ann Royce fund.

The loan of $25.00 made to Nellie B. Gould in Oct. 1915 has been paid & she was loaned $47.50 to be paid in same manner as the first loan. She now desires a further loan of $25.00 which is granted.

We decide to make this meeting the regular meeting of this month

Adjourned

Lucy F. Kendall -
Clerk -

At the April meeting of the Directors held on the 24th. 1917- 7 members present- A meeting of the whole board called.

The Treasurer reports that the Mortgages are discharged & the money loaned to the Trustees.

Edmund Ruffin[illegible] reported that the land adjoining the Chapel had been purchased as authorized by the minutes of last meeting -

The matter of putting additional insurance on East Lynn Chapel was considered.

It was decided to place $1000 on additional insurance on the Chapel & furnishings

The arranging for payments to be left with the Finance Com; the Sec'y.

After considering calls upon some of our members - the Meeting adjourned

Lucy T. Haskell -

Clerk -

At a Meeting of the Board of Overseers held. 9th and 12th 1917.
Four members present:
There was no business of record
Lucy T. Herbert - Clerk -

At a called meeting of the Overseers of Salem Monthly Meeting held 9-19 1917 4 members present:
No business of record
Lucy T. Herbert
Clerk.

The regular November Meeting of the Board of Overseers was held on the 20th 3 members present:

After considering several matters pertaining to our duties we adjourned

Lucy T. Herbert - Clerk.

At a Meeting of the Board of Directors of the Monthly Meeting, held Thursday evening May 2nd at 8 o'clock at Meeting House 5 members present

A communication was received from the State Inspector relative to making some changes in the Chapel in order to comply with the Fire Laws. We refer the same to the Monthly Meeting.

The Insurance Policy of $3000.00 in the Northwestern National (Expiring May 17th) on the Friends' Free-by-Town Chapel property

We refer the renewal of this to the Monthly Meeting's Finance Com with the suggestion that it be reduced

The Duly adjourned

Lucy T. Herbert
Clerk

At a Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Monthly Meeting held May 15th 12 members present:

The Report of the State Inspector of Buildings on the Eastern Avenue Meeting House - being referred to us by the Monthly Meeting. in Conference with the Monthly Meeting Finance Com we appoint Cyrus Jones, William G. Folkins & Elwood B. Paige a Committee to investigate the matter and report to us at a future meeting.

The plumbers bill for repairs at the Eastern Ave Meeting House - being brought to the Trustees - We appoint George C. Herbert - and John Wade - to confer with the plumber Mr Thomas and report back to us.

Adjourned

Lucy T. Herbert -
Clerk -

At a meeting of the Board of Overseers of Salem Monthly Meeting held in conjunction with the Finance Committee. Sixth Month 19th 1918. Five Overseers and Four members of the Finance Committee were present.

The committee to investigate in regard to the changes which the State Inspector of Buildings informed us were necessary at the Eastern Ave. Meeting-house reported that it would cost about $200. to build a stairway down from the primary room and probably about $100. for the other changes.

It is proposed that the committee see the State Inspector and take up with him the particulars in the matter, and report to a future meeting of this Board.

The Committee to confer with A. L. Thomas in regard to the East Lynn plumbing bill reported that they had had a conference with him - that they consider a settlement on the basis of 50% of the amount in excess of $50. a just settlement but that he does not. The Committee is continued and they are empowered to make a settlement if possible by the payment of $25.00, and it is our judgment that this sum should be paid by the East Lynn

Finance Committee

The Finance Committee to whom was referred the matter of insurance on the meeting-house property report that the policy of $3000 has been renewed - the policy to be held by the Overseers.

Our attention has been called to the fact that the window in the loft of the Meeting house at East Lynn was not properly closed. This is referred to the committee on changes.

Adjourned -

Mary S. Paige
Secretary pro. tem.

At the regular meeting of the Board of Overseers - held Aug 29th - Two members present -
No reports from the Committees made appointment - Decided to renew the Insurance on the Chapel - (^{m} 2000.)
Expiring Sept 1st -

Lucy T. Herbert - Clerk.

At a called meeting of the Board of Overseers of Lynn on tenth month 31st 1918

Members present — seven —

The Committee appointed in May last to see the State Inspector with reference to East Lynn Chapel not having attended to their appointment are asked to do so and report to our next meeting on Nov 7th.

It is proposed that the matter of the bill of A.L. Thomas be referred to Wm E. Jackins and Cyrus Jones for final settlement the East Lynn Meeting feeling that they had rather pay the full amount for the sake of good feeling.

Adjourned

Lucy T. Hubbell
Clerk —

1919.

Overseers appointed for three years.

Lynn & East Lynn having been united under one set of Officers and Committees.

Salem
George H Jones. Sylvina Manning
Katie B. Coffin

Lynn — Cyrus Jones - Edmund Buffington
Mary S Paige William G. Hoskins
John N. Maden - Emma A Fisher
Frederick H Lane Harriett E. McLane
Lucy T. Herbert.

The regular April meeting of the Board of Overseers held April 24 1919
Four members present;

The Monthly Meeting having decided to transfer the East-Lynn Chapel property to Lynn Preparative Meeting we appoint Cyrus Jones and Edmund Buffington to attend to the legal transfer of the same.

We appoint Harriet E McLean to visit Mrs Jennie A Moore. Emily J Hazard to see Clara McCann & Lucy J Herbert to visit to Etta Randall. Moranus

Lucy J. Herbert - Clerk

Meeting of Overseers appointed for August 26th 1919. Held at house of Lucy T. Herbert.

4 Members present.

The Committee on transfer of East Lynn Chapel property is continued.

A bill from Moses Brown School of $57.32 incurred by Hazel Gould is presented and we decide to pay the same.

Adjourned to the call of the clerk

Lucy T. Herbert

Meeting of Overseers held 12th inst 14th 1919 - Seven members present -

The Committee appointed to attend to the Transfer of the East Lynn Chapel property report - that it has received attention.

It is proposed that the necessary money from the Julia Ann Boyce Fund be given to Robert Dann to enable him to complete the shrove year -

John Mader & Lucy T. Herbert - are asked to talk with him and ascertain the needed amount;

Lucy T. Herbert is appointed to write to Catherine Pattie Dole.

The conditions at the Chapel relative to the continuing the morning meeting were considered at some length.

Adjourned to the call of the Clerk

Lucy T. Herbert.

At the April Meeting of the Board of Overseers 5 members present. Meeting held April 2nd at 17 Chatham St.

Edmund Buffington reported the transfer of the East Lynn Chapel property would soon be attended to.

Robert Dann having decided not to finish the school year - was given $125. or to cover the expenses of the first semester.

It is recommended that the name of Clara McCann be dropped from our list of members - Her husband attends the Episcopal Church and when she attends her preference is to go with him.

The Treasurer read his report of the state of funds for 1919. which was approved and directed to be read in

the next- this July.

Edmund Buffinton reported that the Trustees had paid off all the mortgages and loans of the Orenders, amounting to fourteen thousand six hundred and eighty five dollars ($14.685.00) the mortgages have been discharged and recorded.

Five thousand dollars (5000.00) has been invested in a mortgage on property of John N. Wade - on Troy St.

The nine thousand six hundred and eighty five dollars ($9685.00) remaining the Trustees recommended to be invested in N. Y. Central R.R. Equipment- Bonds & other equally good securities. We unite in authorizing him to invest it, as seems best after consultation with Cyrus Jones.

Adjourned

Lucy T. Worcester
Clerk -

At a called meeting of the Board of Overseers of Salem Monthly Meeting held June 20th 1920 seven members present - "It was voted that the Clerk Lucy T. Herbert be & hereby is instructed to attend for and in behalf of the Overseers to a petition by Lydia L. Barney of Lynn - to be appointed Trustee under the will of Lydia P. Chase late of Salem - and that said Trustee be exempted from furnishing any surety or sureties on her official Bond."

Lucy T. Herbert -
Clerk -

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At the Monthly Meeting held 12 mo 9. 1920
Edmund F. Buffington Mary L. Paige Katie B Coffin & Wm. F. Atkins were appointed Overseers for Three Years. from 1 mo. 1. 1921
N. Ella Clark and John R. Mader were appointed Auditors for one year.
Taken from the records of the aforesaid meeting
Geo C Herbert. Clerk

1921

The annual Meeting of the Board of Overseers was held Thursday evening Feb 10th. 8 members present.
The records of the last meeting were read - The time having expired for which the Clerk & Treasurer were appointed. Lucy T Woodbury and Edmund F. Coffin are appointed for those positions respectively for one year - The annual report of the Treasurer has been audited, & read & accepted & ordered to be forwarded to the monthly Meeting - Appreciation was expressed of their efficient services. The $1432.00 - paid by the Trustees - (including the $500. to mortgage on Stony) has been invested in mortgages & bonds.

Lucy T. Woodbury - Clerk

At a called Meeting of the Board of Overseers held Feb 14th 1921 at 17 Chatham st four members and Bessie South present:

It was proposed and invited with that fifty dollars from the Julia Ann Boyce Fund be appropriated for the use of the Silsbee st Sabbath School.

The consideration of our membership was entered upon and we decided to recommend that the following named be dropped from our list of members. they not having attended meetings for three years. due care having been bestowed.

It was later decided to defer the matter for one month.

Lucy T. Herbert
clerk.

At a meeting of the Directors held May 2nd. the consideration of our membership was again entered upon and we decided to recommend to the Monthly Meeting the following named be dropped. Due care having been bestowed.

Everett Welch. Earhart Welch.
Edward White. Russell Jennings.
Ralph Jennings. Doris McNally Lagassey.
Perley Bliss. Stephen Kimball.
George F. Hayes. Arthur Hayes.
William B. Newhall. Frederick G Boyce.
Emily G. Bedford.

Lucy T. Herbert Clerk

At a meeting of the Overseers held Oct 12th 1921. five members present -
E & B. L N. M. C. J. M & P. S. J. H.

The records of the last meeting were read. Bessie Smith & Lucy C. Hobart were asked to call on Nellie B. Gould & family & report to our next meeting.

A request having come from Leander Feltz for a loan of $700.00 for the purpose of further study, we are obliged to inform him that we have not the available funds.

Referring to the note held by the Overseers for the sum of $1400.00 - dated Nov 21st 1916. given at the time the land was purchased of Wm Doran by George A Corman and deeded to the Friends, to be paid for from his estate after his death. - The Overseers feel that this should have been

paid by the time allowed for the payment of legacies, and the clerk is directed to so inform Geo L. & Jennie W Crowman executors of his estate, and ask for a definite time when the note will be paid. —

Business being accomplished we adjourn

Lucy T Herbert —
Clerk —

At a called Meeting of the Board of Overseers held Jan 10th 1922 — 5 members present. The committee appointed to call on Nellie B. Gould and family have attended to their appointment and recommend accepting their resignation.

With regard to the letter received from George L. Crowman, we have considered the matter, and the clerk is deemed to write to George L Crowman asking him to arrange for a meeting with the committee, who talked with his father, and arranged the business pail Z

the transaction.

For the Board
Lucy T. Herbert — Clerk —

The Committee who talked with George A Crosman with regard to the deed. viz —
Edmund F Buffington Cyrus Jones
John N. Wadlin — William G. Fockens
and Leroy S. Austin —
are asked to confer with George A Crosman. relative to a settlement